

## COUNCIL TRIBUTE NO. 2021-01

A TRIBUTE EXPRESSING SYMPATHY AND CONDOLENCES UPON THE PASSING OF JENNIFER LYNN HARRIS.

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the City of Dover are saddened by the passing of Jennifer Lynn Harris on July 27, 2021; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Harris pursued higher education in psychology, history, and education, receiving her Bachelor's Degree from San Francisco State University, a teaching certificate from Dowling College, and a Master's Degree from New York University. She also saw the beauty that the world had to offer and dedicated much of her life to exploring the nation;

WHEREAS, Ms. Harris valued her community and made a point to be of service from the moment she was eligible to vote until her last days. She served as a VISTA volunteer, fought for equal rights during the Civil Rights movement, ran a camp for inner-city youths, became a public school teacher and active union member, served as a Red Cross volunteer, advocated for policy change at local, state, and federal levels, and prior to her passing was appointed to the Utility Committee for the City of Dover; and

**WHEREAS**, Ms. Harris will be deeply missed by her friends, family, and all of those whose lives she has touched.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Mayor and Council extend their deepest sympathy and condolences to the family and friends of Jennifer Lynn Harris, and hope that they will be consoled by the memories of her life and achievements.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Mayor and Council direct the City Clerk to place this Tribute in the permanent records of the City of Dover and that a copy of this Tribute be provided to the family of Jennifer Lynn Harris.

ADOPTED: November 8, 2021

Robin R. Christiansen Mayor Roy Sudler, Jr. Council President